



## Gilliat, Taft, Kispert Elected On Wednesday To Senior Class Offices

### Hunter, Ames, Fabens Chosen To Fill Open Junior Class Positions

At last night's meeting of the Institute Committee Gabe. E. deRoeth, 10-44, chairman of the Elections Committee, announced the results of the Senior and Junior class elections held last Wednesday. These elections were approved by the Institute Committee yesterday. The new officers take office immediately.

Wilson N. Gilliat was not opposed in his candidacy for the Vice-Presidency of the Senior Class, and was therefore declared unanimously elected. Gilliat is also the Chairman of the Walker Memorial Committee and Chairman of the Summer Activities Committee. Also unopposed were Malcolm Kispert and Caleb Taft who were elected Institute Committee Representatives of the Senior Class.

The Senior Week Committee election proved to be evenly contested. Of the fourteen men nominated for the ten open positions the following were elected: Ernest T. Schoenwald, Lamar Field, Robert V. Thiede, C. Richard Soderberg, Jr., Kenneth W. Nelson, Kenneth M. Rehler, Robert J. Estes, John L. Hunn, Geoffrey Robillard, and H. Raymond Corvin.

Only two class officers retained  
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## Quadrangle Club Elects Officers

### Ties Must Be Worn Correctly By Frosh

At the meeting of the Quadrangle Club at the Delta Kappa Epsilon house on Memorial Drive last Sunday afternoon, David A. Trageser, President of the Sophomore class, was elected President of the club, Charles F. Street was elected Vice President, Gerald MacKinnon, Secretary, and Walter Kulesa, Treasurer.

The meeting of the Sophomore honorary society was called in order to elect officers and outline plans for the enforcing of the freshmen rules.

MacKinnon announced that over 85 per cent of the freshman class had already bought their neckerchiefs and it was expected that many of the remaining men would obtain theirs by the end of the week. Street was appointed chairman of a committee to see that this is carried out.

A general discussion was held on the manner in which the ties  
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## Foreign Students Service Needs Aid

The T.C.A. Foreign Students Service Department has received several replies to its questionnaire asking foreign students if they desired to join groups to aid them in the speaking of the English language.

It has been decided that it would be advantageous to put men of the same course together with an American taking that course. The T.C.A. needs volunteers to help these foreign students once or twice a week for about an hour.

At the present time, men are needed from courses IV and I. Men desiring to do this work and who are taking other courses should also volunteer at the T.C.A. office as they are needed too. It is not too late for foreign students wishing to take advantage of the help to sign up.

## NOTICE TO ACTIVITIES

Activity heads are asked to submit a list of all their officers to the Walker Memorial Committee by 27th of August. Class presidents are also asked to submit a list of their officers.

This is necessary because the recent rapid changes in officers have caused a great deal of confusion in regard to the forwarding of mail, notification of events, etc., and the Committee's files have to be brought up to date.

## Solons Approve New Social Fund

### Acquaintance Dance Profit Is Nucleus

The Institute Committee met at 5:00 P.M. yesterday evening in Litchfield Lounge. Thor K. Stromstead, Robert V. Thiede and Carlton J. Rohrer were absent. Samuel Morrison, Dean C. Picton, James B. Hoaglund, Gerald Dennehy, and Clyde S. Snyder were late. Lamar Field and Thomas F. Dolan were represented by proxy.

Gabe E. deRoeth, 10-44, Chairman of the elections committee, moved that the class elections held on Wednesday be approved. The elections were approved without discussion. John K. Logan, 6-45, was approved as the treasurer of the Combined Musical Clubs.

### Dance Profits

Wilson N. Gilliat, 2-44, Chairman of the Walker Memorial Committee, reported that the Summer Activities Committee Acquaintance Dance held on August 7th showed a profit of \$155.60. He said that more tickets had been sold than was necessary and that consequently the floor  
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## Commuters May Now Obtain Blotters

### Fraternities, Dorms Received Supply Tues.

The T.C.A. blotters are now available for distribution to commuters and students living in private homes. Due to the impossibility of delivering the blotters to the commuting students, it will be necessary for these men to call for them at the office of the T.C.A. in the basement of Walker Memorial. This was announced last night by Wallace M. Ross, General Secretary of the Technology Christian Association.

A few changes have occurred in the blotter this year, the most important being the expanding of the calendar to include eleven months of the year instead of the usual eight. It will run from August 1943 through June 1944. The blotter appears in a variety of colors and is printed on both sides, and since it will be distributed only twice during the year a notice has been included urging the user to turn it over when one side becomes soiled.

Blotters have already been distributed by the T.C.A. to the twenty-four fraternities around Technology, and also to the Student House, the Senior House, the Graduate House and the dormitories last Tuesday.

The 1943 edition of the blotter has been under the management of James A. Levitan, 6-45, advertising manager, and H. Paul Grant, 6-45, business manager.

## Ken Reeves Orchestra Scheduled To Play For Field Day Dance; Tickets Will Go On Sale Today

### Seven Officers Head V-12 Unit Now At Technology

Headed by Captain Charles S. Joyce, who is Commanding Officer, the Navy V-12 group stationed at Technology includes 905 Navy Apprentice Seamen, is headed by seven officers, and put through its paces in P.T. by a staff of seven Chief Specialists, while thirteen enlisted men complete the staff.

In addition to Captain Joyce, the list of officers includes Lieutenant-Commander B. M. Olsen, who is Executive Officer, Lieutenant Y.P. Craig, Officer in Charge of Administration of the V-12 Program, Lieutenant C. F. Canfield, Administrative Officer, Lieutenant (j.g.) O. Dahl, Officer in Charge of Supply and Disbursal, Ensign M. B. Peek, Officer in Charge of Physical Training, and Lieutenant-Commander W. T. Sullivan, Medical Officer.

Ensign Peek heads the group of seven Chief Specialists in Physical Training. This group includes E. P. Fletcher, F. F. Gintoff, E. Glancy, W. J. Griffin, F. E. Maki, G. W. Mulrey, D. K. Reese, and E. P. Wetterling.

The thirteen enlisted men are F. F. Brown, L. C. Gassner, W. A. Green, P. J. Lyons, L. N. Mallea, L. B. Meyd, C. H. Moore, D. K. Pollard, J. T. Saco, F. D. Stanley, O. H. Tankenoff, T. Wanamaker, and R. W. Wilkinson. These men are yeomen, storekeepers, and hospital corpsmen.

### Captain Joyce

Captain Joyce started in the Navy as an apprentice seaman. He has seen duty on almost every body of water in the world, and is highly regarded by the Navy. His last active assignment was as Executive Officer of the "California." Here at the Institute, his understanding of the apprentice seaman's difficulties, and his long period of command combine to make him an officer who rates high in the estimation of both officers and men. Having returned to active duty after retirement, he greatly desires to return to the sea, where he has spent most of his life.

Lieutenant-Commander Olsen gave up a position with the Con-  
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### Frosh Ties To Be Worn Around Neck And Tied

The following is the list of regulations which govern the wearing of the freshmen neckerchiefs.

1. The neckerchief shall be worn by every freshman on Institute grounds who is not in an R.O.T.C. uniform.

2. It shall be worn about the neck and tied. It may be used as a bow tie if the wearer so desires.

3. Under no condition shall the tie be carried in the pocket. It shall not be worn around the waist or hanging from the belt.

4. Each freshman should have his receipt with him at all times as any member of the Quadrangle Club may require him to produce it at any time.

If any upperclassman should observe any violation of the above regulations he should report it at once to a member of the Q-Club and the offender will be promptly dealt with.

## Reorganized T.E.N. Board Announces Date Of Smoker

### Smoker To Be Addressed By Professor W. Greene Of English Department

As a result of a meeting of the staff of Tech Engineering News, Clyde Snyder, Jr. 2-44, chairman of the Executive Committee, announced the names of the new members of the reorganized board for Volume XXV. Also announced at the same time were details of the freshman smoker to be held Tuesday, August 24, in Litchfield Lounge from 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

The names of the members of the new board and their position are as follows: Chairman, Clyde Snyder, Jr. 2-44; Vice-Chairman and Editor-in-Chief, Carroll W. Boyce, 10-44; and Vice-Chairman and Business Manager, Maxcy DeW. Daggett, Jr. The names of the tentative staff, appointed at the same time are: Circulation Manager, Donald A. Buell, 6-45; Advertising Manager, James R. McKelvey, 2-44; Treasurer, Nicholas  
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## Dance Site Set For Ballroom Of Hotel Continental

Ken Reeves and his Orchestra will be featured at this year's annual Field Day Dance, Kenneth W. Rehler, 2-44, Chairman of the Dormitory Committee, announced last night. The site was set for the ballroom of the Hotel Continental in Harvard Square.

Tickets for the dance, which will be held on Saturday evening, August 28, from 8:00 P.M. to 12:00 P.M., will go on sale today in the lobby of Building 10.

Tickets may also be obtained from any one of the following men on the dance committee: Kenneth M. Rehler, 2-44; Malcolm S. Kispert, 2-44; Robert Nicolait, 2-44; Wilson N. Gilliat, 2-44; John R. Taft, 2-44; Thomas F. Dolan, III, 2-44; Kjeld Damsgaard, 2-44; Robert D. Maher, 10-44; Pierre E. Teets, 10-44, and Robert H. Symonette, 6-45, as well as the lobby of Building 10. The tickets will be on sale until they are all disposed of.

### Price Set

The price per ticket is \$1.50, tax included. As the ballroom will only accommodate four hundred couples  
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## New Shelter Areas Now Being Sought

### Precautionary Act By Safety Committee

Feeling that an air raid is no more probable than ever, but that the possibility requires that everyone know in advance where to go in the event of a real raid, the M.I.T. Safety Committee this week sent a notice to all members of the Institute Staff asking their cooperation in finding additional shelter areas for use in event of a raid. This action has been taken because the shelter areas already designated would be overcrowded in case of a raid as a result of the increased population of the Institute during the present term.

The staff members have been asked to study the space under their charge (excluding corridors), and to confer with the floor warden about the selection of additional shelter areas, and the number of persons to be sheltered. Signs designating approved shelter areas will then be made available.

Discussing the problem, Professor Earl B. Millard, Professor of Physical Chemistry, and Chief  
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## Catholic Club To Hold Acquaintance On Sept. 21

An acquaintance dance will be held by the M.I.T. Catholic Club, probably on Sept. 25. Several places at which it might be held were discussed at the last meeting, among which were the following; Hotel Continental, the Sheraton, the Parker House, and the New England Mutual Hall. A maximum of 750 is expected, with the cost per person set at \$0.99.

Anyone interested in the Communion Breakfast to be held this Sunday morning, and who has not already signed up, may do so by paying at the door. Mass will be at Saint Cecilia's at 9:00 A.M. Sunday morning, with breakfast afterwards at the Hotel Sheraton.

## Dog Mascot Adopts V-12 Unit, Leaves After Reviewing Parade

The V-12 Unit had never bothered to adopt a mascot, so the boys shouldn't have been too surprised when a mascot adopted them. Its sudden appearance was first made known to the inhabitants of the Grad House and several adjoining blocks when Al "Morph" Werner, never famous for vocal restraint, entered his room on the fourth deck, saw a strange object on his bed, and screamed.

By what powerful affinity the dog, apparently a cross between a hound and a dachshund, had been drawn to Morph's bunk on the fourth deck has not been discovered. At any rate the pooch, having made a complete inspection tour of the grad house, decided that Navy V-12 was the only place for him.

The mutt (the chief reason we can't mention his nickname is that someone might not like it) followed some of the boys to PT and barked

cheerfully in cadence while they heaved and panted through a few Griffin-specials.

Our hero next joined the chow line and attempted to get a free meal by imitating the gait of a V-12 freshman. This ruse would have baffled an ordinary man, but it failed to fool the never-flagging perspicacity of Chief Maki, who happened to be presiding in the mess hall as director-to-seats.

At the regimental parade on Saturday afternoon the canine auxiliary was very much in evidence, marching, in step, alongside the band. It was some time before the crowd realized that he was not an extra piccolo player. After the parade most of the boys rushed home for the week-end; and the pooch must have gone home, too, since his friendly, homely countenance disappeared from the Grad House halls as suddenly as it had appeared.

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## THE STUDENT-FACULTY COMMITTEE

At a time when it could render unusually valuable service to the student body of Technology the Student-Faculty Committee appears, as usual, to be completely dormant.

Many Navy men have trouble in getting to classes at the opening of a period due to late release from a necessary Physical Training class. When the student is forced to arrive five minutes late for a ten minute quiz he is obviously working under a handicap. Conversely, when the same student arrives late at a Navy training period due to a late release from class, he encounters the displeasure of his Naval superiors. The student in Naval training is thus held to account for mischances in the development of which he has had no part. The Committee might do much to relieve situations of this sort, which appear to develop because of a lack of understanding of the dual schedule of the Naval student.

Suggestions have been made that the laboratory work of certain courses could be made to emphasize the theoretical material of the course to greater advantage were it to be arranged differently in respect to the lectures and recitations. Here is a concrete suggestion on which the Committee should take action.

Suggestions have been made that professors often release their students at a considerable interval after the bell ending the period has rung. This makes tardiness at the class of the next hour almost inevitable unless it is held in a nearby classroom. Here again, Student-Faculty Committee discussion of the problem might prove of value.

At the end of the term of last summer, constructive criticism of the term was sought of the participating Seniors by the Committee. Whether or not these suggestions were acted upon or even given consideration has not, to our knowledge, been made public. If the Committee would publish the results of such endeavors possibly more interest might develop. In our opinion there is little interest in the Committee from the student body because actions of the Committee, if any, are entirely unknown to students.

We are of the opinion that the Student-Faculty Committee can serve both the Faculty and the Student Body to good purpose by holding regular meetings and by making an effort to unearth constructive criticism.

Such criticism might be received at student meetings between the student members of the Committee and students who have suggestions to offer. The results of such meetings, as well as of individual discussions could then be brought forward in a meeting of the student committee with the faculty. To paraphrase the old aphorism, if the students will not come to the Student-Faculty Committee, then the Committee must go to the students.

## ELECTIONS

Wednesday, August 18, elections were held to fill vacancies in the class offices of the Senior and Junior classes. Apparently, if the number of votes polled are any indication, this information will come as a surprise to all but forty-nine Seniors and eighty-seven Juniors.

The members of both classes who did not vote should certainly have known that elections were being held. There were numerous posters so stating.

We are led to suspect that those who did not vote failed to do so, not because of existence in oblivion, but because of lack of interest. They should not be disappointed if the officers who were elected do not meet their expectations. They had their chance to complain last Wednesday.

## Naval Officers Well Qualified For Assignments

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solidated Edison Company of New York to take up his present position as Executive Officer in the V-12 program here. He is both an engineer and a lawyer.

### Lt. Craig

Lieutenant P. Y. Craig started in the Navy as apprentice seaman, back in 1922. After having served in Nicaragua and in the Atlantic, he left the Navy in 1932, then having the rank of machinist. Prior to 1940 he was Supervisor of Vocational Education in The Department of Education of the State of New York. Since his return to active service he has seen action at sea.

Before enlisting in the Navy, Lieutenant Canfield was Professor of Dramatics at Amherst College. He has written some fine books, and at the moment has one on the Peer Gynt Suite ready to go to press.

### Lt. Dahl

Lieutenant (j.g.) Dahl was Assistant Dean of Men at Saint Olaf College, after which he went to the University of Vermont and to William Penn College, where he served in different capacities. Lieutenant Dahl is said to be one of the best read men on the staff.

Ensign Peek started in the Navy as a Chief in the Physical Training Department. He went to the University of Nebraska, where he played football on the freshman team. He got his commission at Norfolk, Virginia, where he attended the gunnery school.

Lieutenant-Commander W. T. Sullivan formerly practiced medicine, in Bellville, New Jersey. He has been in the Navy since 1940, and has probably seen more action in the present war than anyone else stationed at Technology, having just returned from cruiser duty before being assigned here.

## Outdoor Meeting By Rocket Society Experiments Made With Several Rocket Fuels

The Rocket Society held an outdoor meeting this week for the purpose of testing proposed rocket fuels. The group making the test, which was open to members of the society only, met Monday afternoon at 4:30 P.M., in the Faculty Lounge of Walker Memorial and proceeded by automobile out Western Avenue to the testing lot.

The next meeting of the society will be held this Monday at 4:30 P.M. in the Faculty Lounge. The observations made at this week's meeting will be discussed in detail at that time.

## Field Day Dance Plans

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as quick sellout is expected.

The committee advises those wishing to attend the dance to purchase their tickets as soon as possible.

Reeves and his orchestra have been well received at the many Technology dances at which they have played in the past. It is expected that the music they will furnish for the Field Day Dance will be very satisfactory. There will also be other entertainers, but their names are as yet unannounced. The committee promises a good time to all those who will be present.

It was also announced that novel favors will be distributed at the door to all ticket-holders. There will also be a door prizes which will be based on ticket numbers. The exact nature of the prize is not yet certain.

### Committee Meets Today

There will be a meeting of all members of the Dormitory Committee this evening at 7:00 P.M. in the Litchfield Lounge of Walker Memorial. Rehler emphasized the importance of the meeting and urges all members to be present.

## NOTICE TO READERS

With this issue of The Tech, last year's Gridiron subscription cards expire. Subscription cards for the coming year may be obtained at the sales desk in Building 10 from 11:15 to 2:00, or at The Tech Business Office, third floor of Walker, between 1:00 and 5:30 P.M. The price of a year's subscription is \$1.50. Mail subscriptions may be obtained for \$2.00.

Last year's Dormitory subscription also expires with this issue. Those men who have been obtaining their copies of The Tech because of previous residence in the Dorms may no longer do so. It is suggested that they purchase subscription cards.

With this issue, The Tech will also cease to be distributed free to the Navy V-12 group. A Grad House group subscription through this issue was already paid. For this reason, and also to help the Navy men get better acquainted with Tech, The Tech has continued to send the usual number of copies to the Grad House. We would like to continue to do so, but for financial reasons the paper cannot be distributed free. However, Navy men may obtain the paper at the reduced rate of \$.75 per room for a year's subscription.

## Institute Committee

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was somewhat crowded. In spite of this fact the affair had been a success from other standpoints. He then made the following motion: Moved that the profits from the past acquaintance dance be reserved as a fund in the name of the Summer Activities Committee for use in future activities. This motion was questioned because the Summer Activities Committee was established as a social committee and because all monies for activities other than social functions was disbursed by the Budget Committee. The motion was then amended to read "for use in future social functions." After further discussion the motion was further amended to read "subject to the approval of the Institute Committee." The motion was then approved. During the discussion on the motion it was suggested that the Summer Activities Committee be permanently established as it filled a long felt need. In the first place the Budget Committee cannot allocate funds for social activities and secondly with activities under the strain that they are now working under there will be fewer social events unless there is a central organization to sponsor them. At this point the question was moved and nothing further was done about this matter.

Langdon S. Flowers, president of the Institute Committee, announced that all items for the agenda must be in the Walker Memorial Committee room on the Tuesday immediately preceding the Committee meeting on Thursday. The motions must be in by 5:00 P.M.

Meeting was then adjourned.

## Naval Unit Holds Regimental Review

Captain C. S. Joyce, C.O. Reviews V-12 Unit Sat.

The Navy V-12 Unit made its initial debut in a regimental parade last Saturday, August 14. This was the first review of its kind held here at M.I.T. Other than a few minor flaws, the showing was excellent, considering that this was the first attempt at mass formation.

Credit can be given to the chief petty officers and the close cooperation and work of the men in the V-12 Unit.

Lieutenant Commander Olsen, the Executive Officer, commended both the regiment and the newly organized Navy band for their excellent showing in the review, at which Captain Joyce officiated.

It is expected that regimental reviews will be held on the remaining Saturdays of August, and probably the first Saturday in September. It was not disclosed what further plans have been made.

## Air Raid Shelters

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Warden of the M.I.T. Safety Committee, explained that the principal local hazard during bombing is from bomb fragments and glass driven at high velocity by the blast wave, which forms an inverted cone from the site of the explosion at or just below the ground level outside the buildings.

According to Professor Millard, the first floor would receive the force of the blast in a direction so nearly horizontal that even its corridor walls are considered to offer inadequate shelter. Top floors present undue hazards because of skylight glass, and are, in general, not approved, except for windowless rooms under towers. Floors between the top and the first, are, however, considered to offer many reasonable shelters.

### Suitable Locations

Outside walls between windows are considered as offering adequate protection against fragments of the largest probable bombs. Windowless rooms, including closets and storerooms, are therefore the best protection, while rooms without outside windows rank next. Space between windows is preferred to space below windows because of the dangers of shattered glass, provided, of course, that the possible angles of blasts reflected from outside barriers are taken into proper consideration. Many offices are suitable for two or three persons under these specifications.

The Safety Committee is attempting by this appeal to the staff to obtain as many additional shelter areas as possible, each adequate for a limited number of persons. It is thought by the Committee that many such places exist, and it is hoped that all the members of the staff will give their full cooperation in this attempt to unearth sufficient shelter areas to afford everyone a place of safety. The Committee is ready to provide any needed assistance in the evaluation of proposed areas.

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# Softball Teams Ready For 27th

## Frosh, Soph Teams Confident Of Victory

As field day draws closer and closer, extreme confidence reigns in both freshman and Sophomore baseball camps. Freshman coach Mal Kispert 2-44 as well as Sophomore coach Caleb Taft 2-44, feel they have a good representative team that is a cinch to take the honors on field day.

The freshman team, which has been practicing in front of Walker Memorial and at Briggs field for more than two weeks, has rounded into shape and has produced several outstanding players. Especially outstanding, in the eyes of assistant coach Lou Zirin, 10-44, is William Daylor, 2-46, who has been chosen to pitch the team to victory. The other starting positions have also been decided and are as follows: Kingery, catcher; Meduski, first base; Wright, second base; Laxton, shortstop; Cahill, third base; Rich, short field; Aitken, left field; Randall, center field; Harrington, right field. Beside these starting men there's plenty of depth in good replacements.

The Sophomore team, which has not had quite as much practice as the freshman team, has for the last several days held intensive drill at Briggs field and is beginning to have the makings of a good coordinated team. The coach has had lots of material to draw from and has experienced players holding down the key positions. Nevertheless a definite lineup has not yet been decided on but will be chosen in the near future.

Both freshman and Sophomore teams have been strengthened considerably by Navy men, all of which promises that the teams will give each other a real battle on field day.

# Fencers Forming For Fall Season

Richard Maconi 2-44, fencing captain, says he really has a top-notch team this year. Some of last year's stars are back and they, together with some promising men from last years freshman team have the makings of one of the best teams Technology has had in recent years.

Due to the fact that so far the M.I.T.A.A. has not forwarded any funds to the support of the fencing team, it is on a self-supporting basis. It is hoped, though, that the team will receive M.I.T.A.A. backing when the season starts in the fall.

Since no matches have been scheduled during the summer, the team is only holding informal practice and meets once a week on Tuesday afternoon, five o'clock, in the Walker Memorial Gym.

# Q Club Meeting

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should be worn. It was decided that they should be worn around the neck and the ends should be either tied or fastened together. There is to be no carrying of ties in pockets, on belts or around heads.

## Rule Enforcement

The method of enforcing the rules was decided upon as soon as the manner in which they were to be worn had been settled. On the first offense, whether it be incorrect wearing of the tie or failure to wear it at all, the person in question shall be warned by letter from the Quadrangle Club that further behaviour of this sort will not be tolerated. On the second offense the individual will be made to appear before the club to explain the reasons for such action. Should the club see fit the culprit will be brought before the Institute Committee. This body will then act as it judges proper in the case. The most serious punishment that it will be able to mete out will be preventing the non-

## Freshman Rally Monday 4 P.M., In Room 10-250

Robert J. Gunther, 10-44, publicity chairman for Field Day, announced yesterday that there will be a freshman rally on Monday in Room 10-250, at 4:00 P.M.

The purpose of the rally is to keep up the fighting spirit of the class and also to dispel any signs of overconfidence. Although it looks at this point as though Field Day will be a walk-away, the sizable turnout for tug-of-war this week shows that the Sophomores are finally beginning to awaken.

## Softball Schedule Already Underway

### 19 Tourney Games Played With 25 Teams Signed Up

The newly formed Beaver Key Summer Softball League has gotten off to a good start with nineteen of the scheduled games already played. The turnout of the teams which signed up at the T.C.A. office has not been too strong. If a player cannot find time to appear for a scheduled game he should notify the contact man of his team. The contact men for the different teams are: Team L, William Bowman, 417 Broadway, Cambridge, Kirkland 5387; Little Giants, M. F. Manning, 28 Symmers Rd., Winchester; Team N, Stanley Kuryla, Longwood Towers, Brookline.

Two teams, Theta Xi and Theta Delta Chi, have dropped out of the league. All teams scheduled to play either of the two should drop such games from their schedule.

### LEAGUE STANDINGS

#### League A

Team	Won	Lost
Delta Kappa Epsilon	2	0
Phi Delta Theta	2	0
Sigma Epsilon Xi	0	0
Sigma Nu	0	1
Phi Kappa	0	1
Epsilon Alpha Mu	0	2

#### League B

Team	Won	Lost
Lambda Chi Alpha	1	0
Phi Gamma Delta	1	0
Kappa Sigma	1	1
Team (L)	0	0
Cincinnati	0	0

#### League C

Team	Won	Lost
Student House	1	1
5:15 Club	1	1
Little Giants	1	1
Phi Kappa Sigma	1	1
Theta Chi	1	1
Delta Tau Delta	0	1
Pi Lambda Phi	0	1

#### League D

Team	Won	Lost
Delta Upsilon	1	0
Phi Sigma Kappa	1	0
Sigma Alpha Sigma	1	0
Team (M)	1	1
Beta Theta Pi	0	1
Team (N)	0	1
Chi Phi	0	1

conformist from participating in athletics, or activities, or from obtaining any numerals, letters, or other awards, during his entire stay at the Institute.

# Oscar Casts Shadow On Hopes For Sophs Field Day Victory

Contrary to expectations, the presence of Field Day just around the corner and a rally on Monday with entertainment, Sophomore turnouts remained at an alarming low. There was a slight trickle of recruits out for the glove fight, making almost enough for a team, but other sports experienced no heartening influx of spirited Sophomores.

The time approaches for Oscar's annual Field Day predictions. It can be expected that he will have little trouble this year, even Oscar's Sophomore charges out for track have been given a slim (a thousand to one) chance to defeat the frosh. This reduces the Sophs hopes to one sport, crew, unless softball and dinghy organize in a hurry.

## Frosh Tie Relay Marks

Up to this time the relay race had been one of the two events on which Sophomores pinned their hopes. Coach Oscar Hedlund revealed yesterday that three frosh had equaled the best individual time recorded last year. One Sophomore has also equaled the time, but there are a long string of freshmen times before the next Sophomore time. Sophomores are also at a disadvantage as to numbers. There are only sixteen men out for the team, the required number being twelve. This necessitates using all of the men, regardless of ability. It is the same story here, "The greater part of the Sophomore team is conspicuous by its absence."

## Tug-of-War Starts

The class of 6-45 can almost boast a team for the tug-of-war thanks to the work of a few fellows

## Three Freshmen Equal Relay Mark

### Freshmen Are 100-1 Chance To Beat Sophs

"The odds are at least 100 to 1 that the freshmen will beat the Sophs in the Field Day relay race," says Oscar Hedlund. The Sophomore turnout numbers to date a paltry 16. Equally discouraging, from the standpoint is the result of the relay time trials, with 65 of the first trials already completed, though the field is still open for the individual men to better their times.

The following statistics should only add misery to the Soph outlook:

	Frosh	Sophs
1942 best time	24.4	24.5
1942 average time	25.6	25.2
1943 average time	25.06	25.47
1943 best individual times: Freshmen—Bent 24.4, Grady 24.4, Bello 24.4; Sophomores — Burns 24.4, Bodie 24.3, Goldie 25.0.		

With the possibility of weeding out only two of the Sophomore candidates the chances that their class will put up any kind of showing appear mighty slim.

The freshmen, however, have their choice from about 50 candidates.

The record for this event is the one established by the class of 1934 in their Sophomore year, November 1931: 4:47.6 sec.

Next week Oscar will make his annual and amazingly accurate prediction on Field Day.

# Skippers Ready For Boat Races

## To Meet Twelve Teams In Big Dinghy Regatta

On Sunday, August 22, 1943, the Summer Dinghy Championship races will be held under the auspices of the M.I.T. Nautical Association, on the Charles River Basin, in Cambridge. The crews must report to the Race Committee at the M.I.T. sailing pavilion on Memorial Drive by 9:30 A.M., Sunday, August 22, and the racing will start promptly thereafter. There will be no general sailing on Sunday.

The regatta is open to all regular, provisional and associate members of the Inter-Collegiate Yacht Racing Association. Each college will enter two crews of two persons each, and as many substitutes as desired. In addition to Tech, Brown, Coast Guard, Harvard, Worcester Tech. and Yale will take part in the race. It is also expected that about twelve colleges in all will send teams to compete in the event. The racing throughout will be conducted on the two division plan. However, time limitations may make it necessary to modify the full "round-robin" on the change of boat system.

The Summer Championship Race will be sailed in M.I.T.'s twelve-foot Class B dinghies, and the regular Charles River Basin courses, generally short triangles, will be used. The racing rules of the North American Yacht Racing Union and the regulations of the Inter-Collegiate Yacht Racing Association will govern the competition unless specifically modified by the officials to meet special local conditions.

The winning college club in the final series will be awarded the custody of the Lieutenant Leonard M. Fowle Trophy to hold until the next regatta. At present the trophy is held by M.I.T. The winning teams last year representing Tech consisted of Maurice R. Evans and Ralph L. Evans, skippers, and Charles L. Loomis and Louis D. Schwartz, crews. Harold Boericke, 2-44, will be skipper of one of the boats which Tech is entering this year in the race, and he will have J. R. Schwartz, 6-45, as crew. The crew of the second boat will be composed of John R. Taft, 2-44, and Robert O. Smith, 2-44. Each in turn will serve as skipper, the other being crew during that race.

## SOFTBALL RESULTS

### RESULTS

Phi Gamma Delta 7	Phi Beta Epsilon 3
Student House 11	Phi Kappa Sigma 4
Delta Kappa Epsilon by forfeit over Sigma Alpha Mu	
Cincinnati by forfeit over Theta Delta Chi	
Theta Chi 31	Pi Lambda Phi 13
Delta Upsilon by forfeit over Team M	
Sigma Epsilon Xi by forfeit Chi Phi	
Little Giants 9	5:15 1
Phi Delta Theta 13	Sigma Alpha Mu 1
Phi Kappa Sigma 11	Theta Chi 5
Kappa Sigma by forfeit Theta Delta Chi	
Phi Sigma Kappa 16	Chi Phi 7
Student House by forfeit Little Giants	

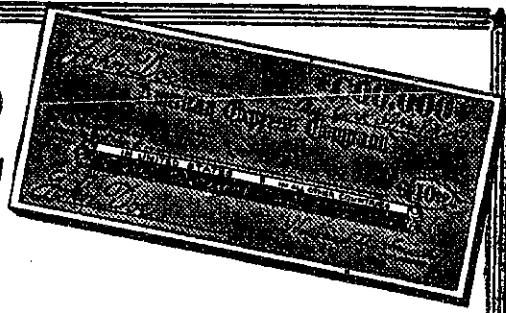
### GAMES TODAY

None scheduled

### GAMES TOMORROW

Sigma Nu vs. Phi Kappa, Field "C" at 3:00 P.M.  
Team L vs. Theta Delta Chi cancelled  
Team M vs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Field "B" 3 P.M.

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# CALENDAR

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 20

5:00 P.M. Debating Society Meeting—Litchfield Lounge.

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 22

9:00 A.M. Outing Club Rock Climbing Trip—Walker Memorial Steps.  
9:15 A.M. Outing Club Bicycle Trip — Walker Memorial Steps.  
9:30 A.M. Outing Club Hiking Trip, Group I, Center Platform, Lower Level—Park St. Station.  
2:00 P.M. Outing Club Hiking Trip, Group II, Center Platform, Lower Level—Park St. Station.  
7:00 P.M. Quadrangle Club Meeting—Litchfield Lounge.

## MONDAY, AUGUST 23

4:00 P.M. Freshman Rally—Huntington Hall.  
4:30 P.M. Rocket Society Meeting—Faculty Lounge.

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

4:00 P.M. T.E.N. Smoker—Litchfield Lounge.  
4:00 P.M. and 5:00 P.M. Aeronautical Engineering Society Movie—Room 6-120.  
5:00 P.M. M.I.T.A.A. Meeting—Faculty Lounge.  
5:00 P.M. Glee Club Rehearsal—Room 2-390.

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25

7:15 P.M. Dramashop Rehearsals—Room 2-190.

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 26

5:00 P.M. East-West Association Lecture—Room 6-120.

### T.E.N. Plans Smoker

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V. S. Mumford, Jr., 6-45; Editorial Editor, Curt B. Beck, 6-45; Art Editor, Robert M. Gould, 6-45; Circulation Manager, David S. Yablong, 10-44; Publicity Manager, Richard B. Marsten, 6-45; and Associate Editors, Reynold A. Grammer, Jr., 6-45; F. Scott Carpenter, 10-44; Robert W. Bronson, 6-45, D. Benjamin Cohen, 6-45, and Walter L. Pragnell, 6-45.

Soon after its installation the new board announced that the October issue of T. E. N. will appear the week of September 27. While they are instituting no radical change in the editorial policy of the magazine, the makeup will be altered slightly to make it more attractive to the undergraduates.

This year T. E. N. is holding a unique "double feature" smoker, stated Carroll W. Boyce, Jr., 10-44, who is in charge of this activity. For the convenience of those who have classes from 4-5, the program will be repeated from 5-6. T. E. N. has secured the services of Professor William Greene of the English Department, who will speak shortly after 5 P.M. in order that his appearance will be convenient for men who come at either time. Since appointments to the Staff of T. E. N. will be on merit alone, Carroll W. Boyce strongly urged all those who are interested to be sure and attend as there is a place for any able and willing man in T. E. N.

### TCA Room Registry Plan Interesting And Helpful

Last Tuesday, the T.C.A. Room Registry Department sent letters to Technology students renting rooms in private homes. A post card was enclosed requesting information which concerned the student's impression of his landlady, living facilities, study facilities and services offered.

Replies to the questionnaire have been very interesting, and in many cases amusing. In general, the rooms and landladies have been good while the study facilities have only been fair. Comments on the landladies ranged from "a withered old hog" and "snoopy" to "charming" and "lovely." On one reply it was stated that the writer did not like the idea of his landlady's ruling which prevented him from bringing women into his room. One of the cards included a suggestion that the bathroom fixtures be donated to a museum.

New students and those who are unsatisfied with their present room may check the T.C.A.'s file for information on other available lodgings.

### Aeronautical Soc.

#### To Feature Movie

##### "Target For Tonight" To Be Shown Tuesday

The Aeronautical Engineering Society will feature a showing of the sound movie, "Target for Tonight," at its first open meeting of the year, to be held on Tuesday afternoon, August 24. There will be two showings of the picture, one at 4:00 P.M. and the other at 5:00 P.M. Both will be held in the George Eastman Lecture Hall, Room 6-120.

This movie, which won an Academy Award for the best documentary film of 1941, shows the preparations for an attack by an R.A.F. squadron on an enemy objective, the actual attack, and the return to the English base.

Since the seating capacity of the room is limited, John Chamberlain, 10-44, president of the society, suggests that all those wishing to see the film at either showing be prompt. Members of the armed forces as well as civilians are invited to attend.

### East-West Assoc. To Hear Van Nice

#### Istanbul Architecture Subject Of Lecture

Mr. Robert L. Van Nice, '39, will speak before the M.I.T. East and West Association at a meeting to be held on Thursday, August 26, at 5:00 P.M. in the George Eastman Lecture Hall, Room 6-120.

Mr. Van Nice will speak on Istanbul architecture in a lecture entitled, "Istanbul, Crossroad of History." He was living in that city from 1937-1941 engaged in research on the structure of Saint-Sophia under the direction of former Dean William Emerson. The lecture will be illustrated. Members of the armed forces stationed at the Institute as well as all interested civilians are invited by the society to attend.

This will be the second meeting of the East and West Association this term. At the last meeting, held on Thursday, July 22, Professor Dirk Jan Struik spoke on "Science and Technology in the Soviet Union."

### Infirmiry List

At the Homberg Infirmiry last night were:

William B. LeLievre, 2-46  
David A. Eberley, 2-46  
Cpl. Robert Meyowitz, Co. A  
Pfc. Sidney Sterns, Co. A

### Additional Copies Of The Technique Are Now Available

#### 100 Year Books On Sale At Technique Offices With Price Unchanged

One hundred more copies of the new 1944 Technique have been ordered and are available to any of the people who have been unable to obtain copies in the past.

Carlton J. Rohrer, 2-44, editor of Technology's year book, has stated that these volumes will be reserved for the first one hundred buyers who pay the full price which is \$5.00 per copy. The Technique may be purchased at the business office of the publication, located on the third floor of Walker Memorial. As yet no definite publication date has been set.

Also a few copies of the 1943 edition of the Technique are still available. They too may be bought at the business office.

The 1944 edition of the year book will be highlighted by many features, the newest of which is "Tech Dream Girl" section. Here will be shown glamorous pictures of Ginger Rogers, Betty Grable, Gene Tierney, Lana Turner, Rita Hayworth, Janet Blair, and Veronica Lake.

Other sections will feature articles on the subjects of M.I.T. and the War, Science and Engineering as they affect the world of tomorrow, and M.I.T. as a functioning democracy. Many of the articles will be written by the faculty. Pictures of the Senior classmen will hold their usual feature position.

Besides describing in pictures and prose the means and methods of technological progress, the Technique will show the results as they transform post-war living in the fields of transportation, communications, housing, synthetics, foods and health.

### Class Officer Elections

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the positions they held last term after the calling up of the Advanced R.O.T.C. These are: Langdon S. Flowers, Class president, who was elected last term to succeed George A. Schutte, and Robert D. Arnold, Secretary of the Senior Class.

#### Junior Class

In the Junior Class elections, Robert L. Hunter was elected Vice-President. The class elected Cortlandt F. Ames as secretary treasurer and H. Bruce Fabens as class Institute Committee Representative.

In the Junior Class two men again held their former positions. John L. Hull, who succeeded to the Presidency upon James A. Leonard's departure, retained his post as did Thor K. Stromstead, the second Institute Committee representative.

### Menorah Society's Dance Considered Very Successful

Last Saturday night, at 8:00 P.M., over fifty Tech students, both civilians and members of the armed forces, jammed the 5:15 Clubroom in the basement of Walker Memorial to attend the Menorah Society's first acquaintance dance of the season. There they had a chance to meet a large number of girls from Radcliffe, Jackson, Boston University, and other neighboring schools.

A heavy downpour of rain could not keep the throng from swarming into the clubroom. The crowd was so large that several people who had intended to buy tickets at the door had to be turned away.

Music was provided by some of the nation's most popular dance bands through the club's phonograph and extensive record collection. A good selection of current ballads, "jump" tunes, and Latin American numbers gave all those present an opportunity to dance to some of their favorites.

Claude Corty, 10-44, president of the society, announced that the dance was also very successful financially. The club's treasury was expanded by the heavy ticket sale and the sale of soft drinks.

### Todd and Logan Debate Winners

#### Tourney Ends; Debate With R. I. Planned

James Todd and Richard Logan, both 10-46, defeated Patrick Colvan, also 10-46, to emerge as final victors in the current intramural forensic tournament. Todd and Logan had the affirmative side of the topic, Resolved: That the Federal government, in conjunction with the State and Local governments, establish and maintain a planned economy after the war.

Eight teams of two men each originally entered the tournament, and some very promising material was uncovered in the opinion of experienced debaters who witnessed the contest.

Patrick Colvan and Alfred Seville, both 10-46, will debate against the representatives of Rhode Island State College at 5:00 P.M., Friday, August 20, in Litchfield Lounge. They will have the negative of the topic, which is the same used in the intramural tournament.

### Outing Club Plans Triple Activity Trip

#### To Consist Of Two Hiking Trips, Cycling And Rock Climbing

An Outing Club "Three Ring Circus," to consist of rock-climbing, cycling, and hiking trips, will be held on Sunday, August 22, in the Blue Hills. William T. van Ravenswaay, 2-44, said that these activities were arranged to give everyone a chance to participate in the activity he enjoys most. One of the featured activities will be swimming, which is something new for these trips.

The rock climbing group will be led by William T. van Ravenswaay, 2-44, and will meet on the Walker Memorial steps at 9:00 A.M. From Walker they will proceed to the center platform of Park Street Under where they will meet the groups from the other colleges at 9:30 A.M.

The cycling group, led by John Paskus of Tufts College, will meet on the Walker Memorial steps at 9:15 A.M., and get together with the groups from the other colleges on the front steps of the Widener Library in the Harvard College Yard. From here they will cycle to Houghton's Pond. Most of the afternoon will be spent swimming.

There will be two hiking trips: one led by Harvard and the other by Radcliffe. Those who are going with the Harvard group will meet at 9:30 A.M. on the center platform of Park Street Under, and those who are going with the Radcliffe Group will meet there at 2:00 P.M.

The activities of both groups will consist of hiking and swimming; the second group is mainly for the benefit of those who can't make the earlier hiking trip.

All the sections are going to come together at fireplace No. 21 on top of the hill for supper and a general get-together in the late afternoon.

Everybody should bring their own packed lunch and dinner will be served to everyone at a cost of \$0.30 each. The cost of transportation will be \$0.40.

Because the last square dance was so popular, another one will be held tomorrow at Harvard Memorial Hall. Tickets will be on sale this afternoon from 5:00 to 6:00 P.M., and tomorrow from 12:00 to 1:30 P.M., and can be obtained from members of the Outing Club executive council.

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